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Sir:

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Copies of the aforementioned non-patent documents, which are listed on the accompanying Form SB/08A (submitted in duplicate), are enclosed herewith.

The above-identified documents marked with the numeral one, (1), were cited in the U.S. Patent Application No. 11/400,712 in the Office Action mailed on November 2, 2006.

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The above-identified documents marked with the numeral eleven, (11), were cited in the U.S. Patent Application No. 11/400,533 in the Office Action mailed on July 10, 2007.

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Applicants further direct the Examiner's attention to the prosecution history of U.S. Patent Application No. 11/230,953, including the Office Action mailed on June 4, 2007.

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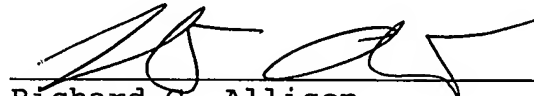
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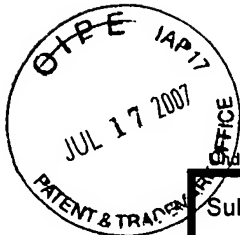
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